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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re patent application of:)	Examiner Thomas Y. Ho
Albert Dimberger et al.)	Group Art Unit 3677
Serial No. 10/016,526)	
Filed: December 10, 2001)	
APPARATUS FOR BLOCKING AND RELEASING A DOOR LOCK OF AN ELECTRICAL APPLIANCE)	
)	August 30, 2004

RULE 116 AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed April 28, 2004, please enter the following amendments under Rule 116 and consider the following remarks. Being filed herewith is a Request for Extension of Time of one month, together with the small entity fee therefore. No additional extensions of time are believed to be necessary, but if any are deemed to be due, please charge the fees therefore to Deposit Account 23-3030.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States
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Signature

August 30, 2004
Date of Signature

PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD
Effective October 1, 2001

Application or Docket Number

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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

(Column 1) (Column 2)

TOTAL CLAIMS		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	minus 20 =	*
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	minus 3 =	*
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT		<input type="checkbox"/>

* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2

SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
TYPE <input type="checkbox"/>		OR	
RATE	Fee	RATE	Fee
BASIC FEE	370.00	OR BASIC FEE	740.00
X\$ 9=		OR X\$18=	
X42=		OR X84=	
+140=		OR +280=	
TOTAL		OR TOTAL	

CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

(Column 1) (Column 2) (Column 3)

AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
			Minus	=
Total	* 38	Minus	** 20	= 18
Independent	* 2	Minus	*** 3	= 1
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			<input type="checkbox"/>	

SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
TYPE <input type="checkbox"/>		OR	
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=	108 ⁰⁰	OR X\$18=	
X42=	/	OR X84=	
+140=		OR +280=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		OR TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
			Minus	=
Total	*	Minus	**	=
Independent	*	Minus	***	=
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			<input type="checkbox"/>	

RATE		RATE	
ADDITIONAL FEE		ADDITIONAL FEE	
X\$ 9=		X\$18=	
X42=		X84=	
+140=		+280=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
			Minus	=
Total	*	Minus	**	=
Independent	*	Minus	***	=
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			<input type="checkbox"/>	

RATE		RATE	
ADDITIONAL FEE		ADDITIONAL FEE	
X\$ 9=		X\$18=	
X42=		X84=	
+140=		+280=	
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	

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CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)
TOTAL CLAIMS	10	
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA
TOTAL CHARGEABLE CLAIMS	10 minus 20 = *	*
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1 minus 3 = *	*
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT		<input type="checkbox"/>

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II

	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR
Total	*	Minus	**
Independent	*	Minus	***
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			

SMALL ENTITY TYPE	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
RATE	FEES
BASIC FEE	370.00
OR	BASIC FEE 740.00
X\$ 9=	
OR	X\$ 18=
X42=	
OR	X84=
+140=	
OR	+280=
TOTAL	
OR	TOTAL

SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
X\$ 9=	
OR	X\$ 18=
X42=	
OR	X84=
+140=	
OR	+280=
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	
OR	TOTAL ADDIT. FEE

AMENDMENT B	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR
Total	*	Minus	**
Independent	*	Minus	***
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			

AMENDMENT C	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR
Total	*	Minus	**
Independent	*	Minus	***
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			

AMENDMENT C	(Column 1)	(Column 2)	(Column 3)
AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR
Total	14	Minus	20
Independent	1	Minus	3
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM			

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